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THE FLY AND THE ANT.

Two flies are passing the factory of some ants and, in reply to the question if they wanted work, they answer that they world owes them a living, to which the ant replies, "Try and Collect it." The flies spend their time annoying a sleeping man and pester a busy housemaid. They alight on her pie and, in her effort to catch them, she smashes the pie and the flies were propelled out of the window and land near the ant factory, where they had been asked if they wanted work. One of the flies lands near the ant that had asked them this question and seeing the fly laying dead says: "So you're the fellow the world owed a living. Rest in Peace."

Moral:

GATETY AND FOLLY HAVE THEIR DAY OF RECKONING.

Modern Adaptation: An office worker is shown being invited to paint the town red by a fellow worker, to which he replies that it is his busy day. After the title, "Some Years Later", the scene shows both men very much older. The industrious office worker is now a reputable citizen standing on the porch of his house telling the former lazy fellow "After you get through with that work, you can paint the barn red."

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